

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN  
SOUTHERN DIVISION

DONQUARION LEWIS; KE'AUJANAA  
SHEPHERD-FRIDAY; and K.B., by and  
through her parent and next friend H.B.,

Plaintiffs,

v

MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF  
EDUCATION,

Defendant.

---

Erin H. Diaz (P80388)  
Mitchell D. Sickon (P82407)  
Disability Rights Michigan  
Attorneys for Plaintiffs  
4095 Legacy Parkway  
Lansing, Michigan 48911  
(517) 487-1755  
ediaz@drmich.org  
msickon@drmich.org

Jennifer B. Salvatore (P66640)  
David L. Fegley (P85275)  
Salvatore Prescott Porter & Porter  
Attorneys for Plaintiffs  
105 E. Main Street  
Northville, Michigan 48167  
(248) 679-8711  
salvatore@sppplaw.com  
fegley@sppplaw.com

Elizabeth K. Abdnour (P78203)  
Abdnour Weiker LLP  
Attorney for Plaintiffs  
325 E. Grand River Ave., Suite 250  
Lansing, MI 48823  
(517) 994-1776  
liz@education-rights.com

Case No. 22-cv-00838-RJJ PJG

Hon. ROBERT J. JONKER

MAG. PHILLIP J. GREEN

**STIPULATION AND ORDER  
TO ALLOW MITCHELL D.  
SICKON TO WITHDRAW**

Jacquelyn N. Kmetz (P83575)  
MI AECRES  
Attorney for Plaintiffs  
P.O. Box 705  
Ludington, Michigan 49431  
(231) 794-2379  
jkmetz@miaecres.org

Kathleen A. Halloran (P76453)  
Neil Giovanatti (P82305)  
Ticara D. Hendley (P81166)  
Attorneys for Defendant  
Michigan Department of  
Attorney General  
Health, Education & Family  
Services Division  
P.O. Box 30758  
Lansing, MI 48909  
(517) 335-7603  
hallorank1@michigan.gov  
giovanattin@michigan.gov  
hendleyt1@michigan.gov

**STIPULATION AND ORDER TO ALLOW MITCHELL D. SICKON TO  
WITHDRAW**

The parties, through their counsel, stipulate:

1. Plaintiffs' counsel sought and obtained the concurrence of counsel for the Defendant on the issue that is the subject of this Stipulated Order.
2. Plaintiffs' counsel Mitchell D. Sickon is ending his employment at Disability Rights Michigan.
3. Plaintiffs' counsel Erin Diaz from Disability Rights Michigan will continue to serve as counsel for Plaintiffs in addition to co-counsel from Salvatore Prescott Porter & Porter, Abdnour Weiker LLP, and MI AECRES.
4. The parties request that this Court issue the proposed Order below allowing Mitchell D. Sickon to withdraw from this case.

**ORDER AUTHORIZING MITCHELL D. SICKON TO WITHDRAW**

The parties, by and through their respective attorneys, agree that Mitchell D. Sickon may withdraw from this case.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: June \_\_, 2025

\_\_\_\_\_  
HON. ROBERT J. JONKER  
United States District Court Judge

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Mitchell D. Sickon

Erin H. Diaz (P80388)  
Mitchell D. Sickon (P82407)  
Disability Rights Michigan  
Attorneys for Plaintiffs  
4095 Legacy Parkway  
Lansing, Michigan 48911  
(517) 487-1755  
ediaz@drmich.org  
msickon@drmich.org

Jennifer B. Salvatore (P66640)  
David L. Fegley (P85275)  
Salvatore Prescott Porter & Porter  
Attorneys for Plaintiffs  
105 E. Main Street  
Northville, Michigan 48167  
(248) 679-8711  
salvatore@sppplaw.com  
fegley@sppplaw.com

Elizabeth K. Abdnour (P78203)  
ABDNOUR WEIKER LLP  
Attorney for Plaintiffs  
500 E. Michigan Ave., Ste. 130  
Lansing, MI 48912  
(517) 994-1776  
liz@education-rights.com

Jacquelyn N. Kmetz (P83575)  
MI AECRES  
Attorney for Plaintiffs  
P.O. Box 705  
Ludington, Michigan 49431  
(231) 794-2379  
jkmetz@miaecres.org

/s/ Neil Giovanatti (with consent)

Ticara D. Hendley (P81166)  
Kathleen A. Halloran (P76453)  
Neil Giovanatti (P82305)  
Amanda E. Zack (P82326)  
Attorneys for Defendant  
Michigan Department of  
Attorney General  
Health, Education & Family  
Services Division  
P.O. Box 30758  
Lansing, MI 48909  
(517) 335-7603  
hendleyt1@michigan.gov  
hallorank1@michigan.gov  
giovanattin@michigan.gov